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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

David Butler, Esquire  
Hearing Officer  
Public Service Commission of SC  
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100  
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Consolidated Docket Nos. 2017-207-E, 2017-305-E and 2017-370-E.

Dear Mr. Butler:

On behalf of intervenors Central Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. and The Electric Cooperatives of South Carolina Inc., I am writing to support the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff's ("ORS") request filed October 30, 2018, in the referenced proceedings to submit the depositions of Carlette Walker and Ken Browne as pre-filed testimony in the consolidated dockets. The ORS proposal is consistent with R. 103-845(C) and would enhance the presentation of the evidence being submitted by the ORS. There is no unfairness to SCE&G as its lawyers participated in the depositions of Walker and Browne, and the company has had ample notice of the substance of their testimony.

Thank you for considering our views on this issue.

Yours truly,

Frank R. Ellerbe, III

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cc: Parties of Record (via email)